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06 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
07 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE


08 RHONDA S. ABEL, )  
09 Plaintiff, ) CASE NO. C10-5810-MAT  
10 v. )  
11 MICHAEL J. ASTRUE, Commissioner of ) ORDER DIRECTING DEFENDANT  
Social Security Administration ) TO FILE RESPONSE TO  
12 Defendant. ) PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR  
13 ) EXTENSION OF TIME  
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14 On June 27, 2011, plaintiff filed a motion for extension of the briefing schedule. (Dkt.  
15 23) Plaintiff states that she had not received defendant's statement of non-opposition to the  
16 motion prior to its filing, but filed the motion as an agreed motion anyway.<sup>1</sup> The Court will not  
17 consider granting plaintiff's motion until defendant has indicated his non-opposition.  
18 Consequently, defendant is directed to file within six days a statement indicating whether or not  
19 the Commissioner has any objections to a renoting of the briefing schedule. Plaintiff requests  
20 a new opening brief deadline of July 13, 2011, which would mean that the new deadline for

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22 <sup>1</sup> Plaintiff assigned the date of filing, June 27, 2011, as the noting date for the motion. This noting date  
can only be assigned for agreed motions. In the future, any motions filed with an improper noting date will be  
stricken without prejudice to refile a corrected motion.

01 defendant's responsive brief would be August 10, 2011. Defendant's statement to the court  
02 shall address whether the Commissioner has any objection to this schedule.

03 DATED this 29th day of June, 2011.

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06 Mary Alice Theiler  
United States Magistrate Judge